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April 28, 1997

Bill Wedlake Spokane County Utilities Interoffice Mail

Dear Mr. Wedlake:

I would like to respond to your inquiry as to whether SCAPCA has requirements relating to the processing of condensate from the landfill gas collection system through the air stripper located at the Colbert Landfill.

Although the emissions from processing the condensate are expected to be below the small quantity emission rates in Chapter 173-460 WAC and hence minimal toxic air pollutant impacts are expected, SCAPCA is concerned about potential odor issues. Because of the potential for odors, SCAPCA recommends the following control measures be used to minimize odors as required in SCAPCA Regulation I, Section 6.04 and WAC 173-400-040(4):

- When feasible use another method of treating the condensate;
- Process the condensate during daylight hours only; and
- Control the flow of the condensate so it is injected at the minimum flow necessary to accomplish the treatment.

As a final review of the proposal for compliance with SCAPCA's odor control requirements, a plan should be submitted to SCAPCA detailing how the above measures will be implemented.

SCAPCA would also like verification that Ecology and EPA do not have objections to treating the condensate in the air stripper.

In addition, SCAPCA believes that surrounding residences should be notified of the proposal and be provided the opportunity to comment.

If the condensate is treated in the air stripper and odor problems occur, SCAPCA may require additional control measures to further reduce odors.





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If you have any questions or would like to discuss this matter further, please contact Kelle Vigeland of my staff at (509) 456-4727 ext. 106.

Sincerely,

SPOKANE COUNTY AIR POLLUTION CONTROL AUTHORITY

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